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Sir:

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Relevance of the Cited References

Applicant has carefully reviewed the cited references and is of the opinion that applicant's claimed invention is clearly patentable thereover.

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